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WHY SMOOT DO

There Was Much Confusion Over the Conflicting Motions-States His Position.

Washington, March 3.-Neither Utah senator voted on the motion to Senator table the Gore resolution. Sutherland was absent from the senate on official business, and Senator Smoot in view of the confusion, asked to be excused from voting.

I would have voted on the original Gore resolution if given an opportunity to do so," said Senator Smoot, "But was not willing to vote under the circumstances that arose. After Sen-ator James had moved to table the Mrs. Eaton came t original Gore resolution, and after the yeas and nays had been ordered, Senator Gore offered a substitute for his resolution that was the direct opposite to the original resolution. The substitute was read, and I venture to say that not one-fourth the senators present heard what was in it. It was not explained nor debated

Still Has Hopes. "I stated, when my name was called, that not being able to vote directly on the Gore resolution, on which the president had requested a vote, and not being able to discuss or hear discussed the substitute offered by Sen CANOPIC TO TAKE ON ator Gore at the last minute, I asked the senate to excuse me from voting. on the subject direct, for the vote to it was stated. day has settled nothing. The senate

to carry on diplomatic relations with Germany so there would be no ques-tion about the position he was taking I would have voted to uphold his stand at this particular time and under the conditions existing today. If the sublect matter of the resolution had been presented when there was no interna-tional question involved, I would indorse the theory of the Gore resolution. I do not believe any foolhardy or adventurous citizen has any right to jeopardize the liberties of 100,000, 000 people. But considering the cir-cumstances and the international conditions in which we find ourselves, would have been glad to have voted to support the president, so Germany could have taken no advantage o what she considered the position of the United States."

Senator Sutherland reached the senate later in the day, and on arrival announced that had he been present he would have voted to table the resolution. In a brief speech defining his views, Senator Sutherland said he believed under well-settled rules of international law that a merchantman of a belligerent nation had a right to arm for defense; that he further believed our citizens had a right to carry their goods or to travel if they saw fit upon vessel armed in that way. He said he was opposed to passing any resolution that would interfere with or forbid the exercise of that undoubted ary 26 right, but said he would not go into a further discussion of the matter at this time, but gave notice that on Tuesday next, after the speech of Senator Stone, he would submit to the enate his views in detail on the general subject of armed merchantmen and the rights and duties of neutrals.

SPLIT SALARIES IN CHICAGO SCHOOLS

Chicago, March 3 .- Mrs. Page Waller Eaton, who charges that Mrs. Louis Osborne, Rowe, head of the city public welfare department, forced her to split her salary for the benefit of a relative of Mayor Thompson, consulted an attorney concerning Mrs. Rowe's alleged action several weeks before the charges were made public, according to testimony today by Frank Comerford, an attorney, at the resumption of the civil service com-Comerford said Mrs. Eaton came to him and he told her to tell her story to the mayor.

Mrs. Eaton was recalled to the stand and produced a bag in which she said she carried the money she paid Mrs. Rowe "You don't think we switched bags on you do you," she said in response

to a question from Attorney Malato. You are very suspicious. You at best must be an unhappy man Aldermen Richert and Merriam were called. They denied any knowledge of a plot to injure Mayor Thomp-

ARMS AT GIBRALTAR New York, March 3.-The White I did not feel like I wanted to be put Star liner Canopic, which sailed today in the position of voting on one reso for Italian ports with three Amerilution when, in fact, the senate was cans in her first cabin, will take on steamship Cromartyshire, July 4, 1898 voting on an entirely different propo- armament when she arrives at Gibral-I did not want to have to ex- tar, it was announced by the White plain a vote of that kind. I am in Star line today. The armament will hopes that the majority members of be removed when the ship again arsenate will allow a vote to be had rives at Gibraltar on her return trip,

The notification that the Canopic dodged a question it had no right to winld be thus armed was received by the White Star line early today from Asked how he would have voted if the British admiralty, it was anthe original Gore resolution had been nounced, and the order also includes under consideration. Senator Smoot the Cretic, plying between Boston "Under the circumstances, and and Mediterranean ports and which In view of the request of the president was due at Gibraltar yesterday. The that a vote was desired to enable him Cretic left Boston February 21.

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When La Provence Went Down 3130 Lives Were Lost.

Paris, March 3, 12:45 a. m.-It was announced at the French ministry of marine today that there were nearly 4,000 men on board the French auxillary cruiser Provence II when she was sunk in the Mediterranean on Febru-

As the ministry of marine on February 29 announced that the number of survivors of the Provence disaster was estimated at 870, it is indicated by the foregoing dispatch that upwards of 3,130 lives were lost.

It was stated that on board the Provence were the staff of the Third Colonial regiment, the third battalion, the second company of the first battalion, the second machine gun company, and one extra company, in all nearly 4,000 men.

The loss of more than 3,000 lives in the sinking of the French auxiliary cruiser Provence is the greatest ocean disaster of modern times. Up to the present, the largest number of lives ever lost in one wreck was when the White Star liner Titanic struck an bered 743.

The French ministry of marine had previously issued no statement as to the number of persons on the Provence when she went down. The vessel, however, when in the trans-Atlantic service could carry 1,960 persons, including the crew, and it has been presumed that, as she was transporting troops between ports not far apart, she was carrying a number of men larger than her normal capacity. Among the other great sea disasers, in addition to the Titanic aleady mentioned were:

The Cunard line steamship Lusiania, which was torpedoed by a Ger man submarine and sunk off the Head of Kinsale, Ireland, on May 7 915, with the loss of 1,206 lives. The burning of the excursion steam-

New York, June 15, 1904, when neary 1,000 persons met their death. The French line steamship La Bourgogne, sunk in collision with the with the loss of 580 lives

ship General Slocum in the East river,

The Japanese liner Kicker Mary sunk off the coast of Japan, September 28, 1912, with the loss of 1,000

The Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of Ireland, sunk in collision with the Danish collier Storstad in the St. Lawrence river, May 29, 1914, with the loss of more than 1,000 lives The burning of the Uranium line steamship of Volturne in mid-ocean on October 9, 1913, with the loss of 136

DEVICE HOLD ON

Is Halted by Desperate Counter Attacks.

London, March 3 .- Around the vilhands of the Germans, is raging a nel."

captured the village and extended their lines west and south, the Germans were forced to give ground bevicious attacks of the French, who regained part of the terrain they had lost. The fighting here is proceeding unabated From the region of Malancourt, vest of the Meuse, to the Woevre region, east of Verdun, the bombard-

ments are of a violent character, the Germans endeavoring to force their way closer to the fortress of Verdun and the French tenaciously striving to hold them back. Several assembling points of the Germans have vigorously shelled by the French, especially in the vicinity of Beau Comparative quiet prevails on the

Russian front.

Along the line in the Alps and or the Isonzo river sector the Austrians and Italians continue their bombardments and attacks at various points by infantry, but without materially changing their positions.

An official communication from the Turkish army headquarters say the east and west coast districts of Aden have come under Ottoman rule as the result of the submission of the tribesmen. The Turks also report a defeat recently of the British near Daffuch in the neighborhood of Aden, but the British official press bureau denies that an engagement took place

British Re-take Sldi Baranl. The British have re-occupied Sidi Barani in western Egypt, which had been in the hands of Senussi tribes men commanded by Turkish officers The town was occupied without re-

cussing the duties of his new posi-tion today with the Associated Press Lord Robert Cecil, minister of wa

"Co-ordination has been secured. We expect by the adoption of the new plan suggested by Consul Gen-eral Skinner to greatly assist Amer-ican shippers in their trade with neu-

at mealtime, you can rest assured there is weakness some where in the digestive system that calls for immediate attention. This suggests a trial of

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trals. We are now considering the contraband list to see if it is adequate to present conditions.

Lord Robert paid a high compliment to the efforts of Consul General Skinner to alleviate the lot of Amer ican shippers, and expressed confidence that the reorganized depart ment would conduct the blockade with a minimum of friction and a maximum of efficiency. He said: "The blockade will be conducted

on a more businesslike basis.
"Although Consul General ner's modesty disclaims the credit, I can say that the new plan of dealing with American shippers was his sug-

"Under the new plan the machinery, which has been left to British diplomatic and consular officers in America, will be put in operation. ceberg off the Newfoundland banks whereby the British government will on April 14, 1912, and sank with a death loss of 1,595. The rescued numas to the probable fate of any cargo they desire to ship.

"The government will reserve the right to stop a ship if any suspicious circumstances arise warranting such action. We will not attempt to dictate to American shippers what they shall ship, as we do to our own ship pers, but will give them all necessary

"We hope that this plan will prove of great advantage to small shippers, who, under the present system, cannot afford to assume financial risk of shipping without knowing that the consignments will their destination.

Pushing on to Mesopotamia.

Petrograd, via London, March 3, 0:10 p. m.—It is officially announced that the Russians have captured Bitlis, Turkish Armenia, about 110 miles southeast of Erzerum, near the south- the Verdun fighting. The correspondwestern extremity of Lake Van. The ent of the Exchange Telegraph comcity was taken by assault. The text of the official communica-

tion from the war office today fol- joining the entente allies shortly.' Western (Russian) front

enemy attempted an offensive in the district north of Czartorysk, but was dispersed by our artillery "Caucasus front-Our troops cor

tinue their pursuit of the Turks. The fighting in this district is proceed-ing under exceptional difficulties, owing to the complete disorganization German Advance on Verdun of the roads, the severe frost and the Portuguese flag has been hoisted on all the German steamers lying at "The news has just arrived that

our troops last night carried Bitlis by assault, capturing six cannon Panjim. Among the Turkish prisoners are age of Douaumont, which is in the seventeen officers, including a colo-

Bitlis is a city of about 35,000 in-habitants and the capital of the vilayet of the same name. It has numer ous mosques and convents of dancing dervishes and is located 4700 feet

Neutrals Would Be Most Serious.

London, March 4.-The British ress is studying carefully the effect of the Verdun fighting on public opin ion in various European capitals, par the neutral countries of ticularly Rumania, Scandinavia and Holland. A special correspondent, sent to Sweden by the Telegraph, warns the British public as follows: "Any decisive German success will produce a far-reaching political effect upon certain neutrals. The rebound in Sweden would be great and almost immediate.

"It is hardly realized abroad that the recent fluctuations in the attitude of Sweden were the first result of the vicissitudes of the campaign in general and of Russia's grave reverse in particular. While the majority of the Swedish people entertain no desire to exchange a safe and lucrative neutrality for a belligerency which can bring

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no lasting advantage, the sentiments, Consideration, \$550. of the inarticulate majority are of avail against the motives by which the ruling statesmen are im pressed. "It is certain that a decisive Teu-

tonic victory at the present juncture would be followed by most important changes in the international situa-The Athens correspondent of the

Telegraph says: "If Greece can serve as an example of the effect which the giant struggle Main Army of the Czar is Now at Verdun will have upon neutrals, one can safely forecast that it will be immense. Greece is following the dif-

ferent phases of the battle of Verdun with absorbing interest. It is believ ed here that the effects and political consequences will be even more far reaching on Germany's Balkan ailles. Dispatches from Bucharest show that there is a keen interest there in pany declares "Only a great German victory can prevent Rumania from

PORTUGUESE TAKE MORE GERMAN SHIPS One of the observers of the ma-

March 3, 11:35 a m.-Lloyd's agent at Bombay reports that Mormugao and that the Germans who were aboard have been interned at

of the Portuguese colony of Goa, in India. It was recently reported that Livestock company, near Kemmerer the Portuguese government, after Wyo., thus becoming one of the larg requisitioning all the German and est owners of sheep in the west. Mr Austrian ships lying in Portuguese harbors, had given orders that all Touton vessels in the Portuguese colonies should likewise be taken over and put under the Portuguese flag.

Real Estate Transfers The following real estate transfers have been placed on file in the counrecorder's office:

Harold D. Winger and wife to Emma Z. Ryver, part of the northeast British Press Declare Effect on quarter of section 35, township 7 north, range 3 west, Salt Lake merid-Consideration, \$10.

John H. Aldous and wife to John B. Nelson, lot 1 and part of lot 8, block 21, plat A, Huntsville survey.

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Conway Morris and wife to Everet Boekweg, lot 21, block 5, South Park addition, Ogden survey. Considera-

SEAPLANE FALLS

London, March 3, 7:45 p. m.-A German seaplane, returning from England, was yesterday picked up by th French three miles north of Middelkerke Bank, off the Belgian coast, it was announced in an official statement issued this evening.

en prisoner. The seaplane dropped on Wednesday, the official statement adds

SALT LAKER BUYS RANCH IN WYOMING

Lake, March 4.-Daniel T Mackay, who resides at 1891 South Panjim, or New Goa, is the capital Fifth East street, has purchased the entire interests of the Star Valley Mackay has purchased the land, range sheep and all other property of the Star Valley company, the consideration having been, it is reported, close to \$200,000

Recently Mr. Mackay added to his holdings largely by the purchase of the stock of the Afton Livestock company, also in Wyoming. Starting in the early days in wool

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